

BENNINGTON BRIEFS

News of the Town and Village Told Briefly for Busy Readers.

Lester B. Vail has returned from the Vermont University at Burlington for his summer vacation.

Mrs. Martha Campbell of Onslow, Ia., and Miss Jane Harrison of Thompsonville, Conn., are visiting Mrs. W. A. Peart of Branch street.

I have opened a Gents tailor shop at 111 Hawk's block North street and am prepared to do all kinds of work in first class shape. Harry Brandadoffer. 8813

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Pope are in Bradford, Mass., this week attending the commencement exercises at Bradford academy. Their daughter, Miss Olive, is one of the members of the graduating class.

Market gardeners predict that the crop of local garden strawberries are above the average this season. These favorite berries have been cheaper than usual this spring. At present they are still selling for 15 cents a quart.

Hay for Sale.

The hay at the Mt. Anthony Country club to be sold standing. Application may be made to McDonald at the Club House.

WANTED.

WANTED—Good dining room girl who has had some experience. Inquire at Cottage Hotel. 8816

WANTED—Would like a refined, congenial lady married couple to share my beautiful furnished home; modern house, electric lights, gas, bath, hot and cold water. I am willing to make any reasonable arrangements at moderate price. House is on Washington Ave., near Main St. Telephone 35-11. 8816

WANTED—An experienced sheep man with \$1000 to join in the sheep business in W. Va. Plenty of fine range and pure water. O. D. Hill, Kendall, W. Va. 2532

WANTED—A New England woman to act as cook and general housekeeper; and another to assist her as maid, waitress, etc. Latter must be willing to wear cap and apron. I want only people who are looking for permanent home and position. Must have best references. Family of three. Large house in grounds in center of city of Schenectady, N. Y. Starched laundry sent out. To the right people I will pay \$25 and \$15 per month respectively. Don't want any who are ashamed to do domestic work. Must give and will receive respect. Apply C. D. Haskins, 22 Washington Avenue, Schenectady, N. Y. 8716

WANTED—A man immediately to sell fruit and ornamental trees, etc. Good weekly pay. Steady work. Permanent. Outfit free. Cobb Co., Turner Center, Maine. 8816

WANTED—Cooks, waitresses, second girls and general domestics; \$16 to \$40 per month. Also girls to take positions in shops and mills at \$1 to \$2 per day. Call or communicate at once with Rockwood & Howe, Bennington, Vt. 2611

TO RENT.

TO RENT—House at 222 Depot St., small family preferred. Inquire of Mrs. G. A. Miller, Cottage Hotel. 8816

TO RENT—C. E. Dewey has a house to rent. 8715

TO RENT—Modern tenement, second floor, West Main St., after July 1. Equipped with electric lights, paved for gas, steam heat, hot and cold water, bath and toilet. Enquire of H. H. Allen. 81

TO RENT—Furnished rooms. Large front room in the Enos Adams house on Pleasant St. All modern improvements; electric lights, steam heat, fire place, hot and cold water; newly covered floor and furnished up-to-date. Most desirable furnished rooms in Bennington. Apply at Levin's store, North and Pleasant Sts. 754

TO RENT—House to rent on Elm St., all modern improvements. Inquire of J. H. Habberty. 2411

TO RENT—Desirable tenements, offices, stores, mill property with water power, individual storage lockers. Wm. K. Hawks, 205 North St. 8816

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—21-acre farm, two miles from village; 5 acres meadow, 16 acres pasture; 6-room house newly painted; 1822 barn; beautiful view. Apply to the owner, Antonio Flister, or Rockwood & Howe. Price \$1600. 8816

FOR SALE—Parlor organ in first-class condition. Call at 203 South St. 781

FOR SALE—Tomato plants, ready May 20 to July 1, doz. 25c, 100 \$2.00. Pepper plants, ready June 1 to July 15, doz. 25c, 100 \$1.50. Celery plants, ready June 15 to Aug. 1, 100 \$5.00. Also late cabbage and cauliflower plants. These are large transplanted plants. Smaller plants at 12 above prices. Orders by mail or telephone will receive prompt attention. Bennington orders delivered once each week. H. S. Dunham, North Bennington, telephone 19-12. 6411

CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS

JAMES SILK, contractor and builder. Also repairing, rebuilding and shop work. Shop Union street. 2611

BENNINGTON & WOOD—Contractors in building and slate roofing. Office 118 South St. 2611



As a Household Remedy

Is useful all the year round. (It is not simply a Worm Remedy.) It is a true Tonic and Blood Purifier. It cleanses the blood, expels all impurities, and the good it does is felt at once in renewed life and vigor, better digestion and better appetite. Price, 35 cts., 50 cts. and \$1.00. At all dealers.

OSTRANDERS TOMORROW

Pop Watkins' Colored Players Cancel Their Game

Manager Fred T. Corbett received word at the last minute that Pop Watkins' team of colored ball players would not keep their engagement to play Bennington here Saturday afternoon. It has also been learned that the colored players have cancelled their Hoosick Falls game.

To secure a good ball team on 24 hours notice at this season is a difficult task but the manager proved equal to the emergency and the Ostranders of Albany have been engaged to take the place of the colored man.

The Ostranders have always put up good ball in Bennington. For Saturday afternoon they are to be paid a little better guarantee than on previous appearances here and are coming to town prepared to win.

A telephone message was received from the Ostrander manager this morning stating that he was going to bring the best bunch of players he had ever taken with him to Bennington and that it was going to trim the Huckleberry Boys to a standstill.

The Bennington team with Pat Lennon in the box and some good Williams college players in the infield ought to make the contest interesting.

HOOSICK FALLS

The village directory by Manning & Co., of Springfield will be issued on July 1st.

A dance will be held at the Hoosick Inn this evening. Music will be furnished by Thompson's orchestra of Hoosick Falls.

The closing exercises for the Hoosick school will be held on Thursday, June 23. Prof. C. N. Smith and pupils will give a concert at Wood's opera house on Friday evening, June 15.

Town Clerk William P. Haynes has issued a marriage license to Miss Alice Quinlan of Hoosick Falls and William Walsh of Greenfield, Mass. Mr. Walsh is a former resident of Hoosick Falls.

According to the bill signed by Governor Hughes, the board of trustees of every school district is required to have an annual census on August 30 of all school children between the ages of five and eighteen years, and the law applies to all school districts outside of the cities. In accordance with this requirement, Edward G. Tiffany has been appointed school census enumerator.

Manager Toohey of the Hoosick Falls nine received word by wire Thursday morning from booking manager, John J. McGrath that owing to a misunderstanding which was all on his own part, that he could not send the New York Giants, colored, for the Sunday game in Hoosick Falls but would send the All National Leaguers Manager Toohey disgusted at McGrath's mean tactics, wired in reply to keep both teams.

The clerks in the stores and offices are discussing the arrangement for securing a day off some week at an early date for the purpose of holding a ball game and having a general field day of sports. If the thing goes through by receiving the favor of the merchants and proprietors, which seems quite probable as the matter is receiving favorable consideration, the day may develop into a Merchants day and be an annual event. The matter of having an afternoon off during each week is being projected by another set of clerks with the idea of having a let-up at two or three o'clock and getting back to employment at half past five or six o'clock.

Dr. Wm. Little's Early Risers The famous little pills.

WHO IS TO BLAME

Women as well as men are made miserable by kidney and bladder trouble. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, promptly cures. At drugists in fifty-cent and dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it. Address, Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

C. W. MORSE INDICTED AGAIN

He and Pres. Curtis of National Bank Charged With False Entries

New York, June 17.—The federal grand jury today found a third indictment against Alfred H. Curtis, president and Charles W. Morse, vice president of the National bank of North America, charging them with making false entries in reports to the controller of the currency and the misapplication of funds for speculative purposes amounting to about \$1,250,000. Shortly after the indictments had been returned Morse and Curtis appeared before Judge Hough in the United States circuit court and entered tentative pleas of not guilty. The defendants, whose trial on the previous indictments in connection with the bank's affairs has been set for the October term of the federal court, were given until July 1 to withdraw their pleas or demur to the indictment.

The indictment found today charges that Morse and Curtis made false entries in 21 reports to the controller of currency during the years 1906 and 1907 and accuses them of the willful misapplication of the moneys, funds and credits of the National bank of North America during the same periods.

Charles W. Morse tonight in a statement declared that he had applied to the controller of the currency at Washington for a list of the depositors of the National bank of North America as he desired to arrange matters with the depositors that they might secure their deposits. The application was refused said Mr. Morse and he was informed that claims could be settled by giving the receiver the amount sufficient to pay the depositor's claims.

REUNION AT MORRISVILLE

Company E, 3rd Vermont Elects C. A. Davies President

Morrisville, June 17.—The 23d annual reunion of Co. E 3rd Vermont Veteran's association was held at G. A. R. hall Wednesday with the wives of the soldiers and invited guests the number present reached 40. The flag was raised at 10:30 and dinner was served at noon. At 1:30 the meeting was called to order by President C. A. Davies and the following officers elected: President, C. A. Davis, senior vice president, Mrs. Tomlinson of Stowe; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Vestella Brown of Barre; chaplain, L. L. Cam; executive committee, Carlos Bugbee, L. L. Cam, Charles Jones; committee on resolutions, William Downey, Lydia Olmstead, Carlos Bugbee. An interesting program brought the afternoon to a close.

KILLED IN A MILL

Colin Fraser, 70 Years Old, Probably Caught in a Belt

Malone, N. Y., June 17.—Colin Fraser, a man 70 years of age, met a horrible fate at Whippleville, three miles south of here at 2 p. m., today. Just what happened to him and how will never be known. It appears Fraser unknown to anyone, went into the saw mill of F. H. Lyman for the purpose of sharpening a scythe. Mr. Lyman went into the mill for something and found Fraser lying some distance from the grind stone with one arm torn from his body and just expiring. It is believed he got caught in the belt when adjusting it and was whirled to his death in that way. Dr. Oliver, coroner, of Malone, was called and rendered a verdict of accidental death. Undertaker J. W. Murphy of Malone has charge of the remains.

ROW AMONG POLANDERS

One Suffered Concussion of Brain, Broken Arm and Stab Wounds

Bethel, June 18.—On complaint of State's Attorney E. R. Buck, George Rameron, Tony Bulky, Joe Bulky and one other Poleander are in the lockup awaiting a hearing upon the charge of a murderous assault upon "Billy" Smith, a fellow countryman in the employ of the E. C. Fisher Co. The accused are all quarrymen.

It appears that the Poles had a general good time Sunday at the quarry with dancing and liquid refreshments the closing of which was marked by a general melee, in which "Billy" Smith suffered, his left arm being broken, two knife stabs were inflicted in one arm and concussion of the brain was caused. The hearing will be today.

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G. L. Harwood has returned from a short stay near Sucker pond.

J. H. Wilkinson, traveling salesman from Boston is spending a few days in town.

The thermometers registered 84 degrees in the shade at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Mrs. N. J. Morrissey of County st., has now fully recovered from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Sawyer of the Summit house in Woodford City were in town Friday.

Chauncey A. Rudd of Union street has returned from a short visit with friends in Pownal.

Peaches are now on sale at the local fruit stores. The crop this season promises to be large.

Fred Cameron of the American house is spending a few days with friends in New York.

Leon Percey, the ice man purchased a fine team Thursday. Mr. Percey now owns seven horses.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Howard Ferguson of East Main street were in North Adams Thursday evening.

Henry Root, a student in the University of Vermont, is home to spend the summer with his parents.

Alden Graves is home from Worcester academy to spend the summer with his father, L. A. Graves.

Harry Mattison, who came here to attend the Bennet-Mattison wedding returned to Rutland this morning.

L. E. Royce of Valentine street will spend a portion of his vacation at the "White Crow Inn" in Camp Comfort.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip B. Jennings have purchased a new Maxwell runabout for their son, Leonard Outhwaite.

The Y. M. C. A. baseball team will play the Eagles of South Shaftsbury Saturday on the athletic field at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Edward Green of Dewey street is spending a few days in Schenectady as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Buckley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hutchins and Miss Elizabeth Greag leave this afternoon for a short stay in New York and Coney Island.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Keeseman have returned from a few days trip through the Berkshires.

All the examinations for the high school are now over and nothing is left except the commencement exercises Monday night.

Rev. Joseph H. Robinson and family of New York arrived here today to spend the summer at their residence at Bennington Centre.

Edward Hawkins of South Shaftsbury recently purchased a two cylinder Buick touring car of the Pollard & Lowe Auto company.

The three lower classes of the local high school will give a farewell reception to the senior class and Mr. Willmarth in Foresters' hall this evening.

It is understood that William Puffer and Harry Walker will open a grocery store where C. D. Sawyer & Son recently ran a similar business on Bradford street.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight H. Rudd are rejoicing over the birth of a son. Mr. Rudd is 67 years old and is commander of the G. A. Custer Post, G. A. R., of this village.

George Fleming, who has been residing in New York for the past two years is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Fleming of East Main street.

Herbert Armstrong of the postoffice is spending the day in the nearby blackberry patches looking over the blossoms in order to get some pointers for later in the season.

The graded schools closed this afternoon after an hours session for the summer vacation which will last until Monday, August 31. This will be the first time school has opened for the fall term in August since 1903.

Regular tickets for the "Parada" may be exchanged for reserved seat tickets next Tuesday at the box office. The sale will open for the patronesses at 10 a. m. and for the general public in the evening at 8 o'clock.

A large number of ladies have willingly responded to the invitation to be patronesses of the "Parada" and the tickets are selling very rapidly. Rehearsals are going along very nicely and the play should be a great success.

The local court of Foresters of America will attend the dedication of a new hall in Williamstown by the court in that town next Thursday evening, June 25th. A special car will leave here at 7:15 to carry the members of the order.

Is your hair coming A. D. S. Hair Reviver cures dandruff and stops the hair from falling. It puts the scalp in a healthy condition and by keeping it healthy makes the hair grow. Price 50 cents a bottle at Quinlan's Pharmacy.

The ladies of St. Catherine Court of the Union of St. John the Baptist will receive Holy Communion in a body at the 8 o'clock Mass in the Sacred Heart church Sunday morning. All members are requested to meet at the parochial school at 7:45 Sunday morning.

Andrew H. Holster has resigned his position in W. C. Houran's grocery store on East Main street and will enter the employ of Bottum & Torrance as shipping clerk in the collar department of their mill. Bernie Mattison of Sodom will take Mr. Holster's place in Houran's store.

James E. Burke is so busy with his new Pope-Tribune auto that he hasn't time to eat or sleep. He and N. M. Cottrell went to Hartford after the machine and ran it from there to Bennington in less than six hours, though it was the first time the car was ever out. The machine is a dandy, carries sail well and minds her helm like the wife of a Nantucket skipper.

The Great June Sale Continues With Offers Gloriously Good



What an assemblage of bargains! What an array of choice, new, seasonable and desirable merchandise. This June sale presents a store full of good things at trifling prices.

The spirit of saving prevades everywhere in the store and prudent shoppers are economizing profusely. Life, activity, impetus characterizes this six days event, it's the kind of a sale it pays to attend.

But the real sale news in this ad—is the items. Extravagant claims, though justifiable, could not make these bargains a bit more enticing. No, indeed, they tell their own story.

Just four UNDERMUSLIN SPECIALS, one each Night Gowns, Skirts, Corset Covers and Drawers.

\$1.00 Night Gowns 75c
\$1.00 Skirts 75c
.75 Corsets 59c
.75 Drawers 59c

A sensational selling in HOSIERY.

Children's 25c Black Hose 15c. 25c Tan Hose 15c.

Great Reductions in WALL PAPERS.

Wall Papers at 6c, 10c, 15c.

Thin knitted UNDERWEAR for Men.

75c Spring Needle Shirts and Drawers 39c.

UNDERWEAR for Women, Misses and Children.

50c Union Suits 19c
15c Vests, all styles, 10c
35c Lisle Thread 25c

SHEETS and PILLOW CASES.

Another lot of the Forest Park Bleached Sheets. 9-4 at 39c. The first lot melted away. Hemstitched Pillow Cases at 124c.

Ladies' Tan, White, Ooze, Patent, Vici, Gun-metal, Glazed Kid Oxfords in Pumps, lone eyelet, two eyelet, three eyelet; also many of these style leathers in high shoes.

A. K. Ritchie & Co.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

Cultivators, Shovel Plows and Horse Hoes. McCormick Mowing and Harvesting Machinery that cannot be excelled. Reynolds' Pure Paris Green. Nova Scotia Plaster and Bug Death. Rough on Flies makes good or money refunded. Poultry Foods and supplies of every description. The unexcelled Yankee Rake still leads.

H. W. MYERS

COAL WOOD KINDLINGS

TELEPHONE

Office and Yard Foot School Street.

Office will be open Monday, Thursday and Saturday Evenings.

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T. McClure Peters is in Troy today.

E. J. Hall is in Woodford fishing today.

Tomorrow will be tag day. Look out!

M. J. Covey of Manchester was in town Thursday.

J. Kelley of North Adams was in town Thursday.

Mrs. Dexter Farnum is confined to the house by illness.

Olin Scott has returned from a short business trip to Albany.

Edward Green, Jr., of Dewey street is camping at Sucker pond.

D. M. Gleason of Woodford was in town Thursday on business.

EAST POWNAL

The Barber school will close Friday with a picnic in Perch Pond grove.

Miss Lois Niles does not improve in health as fast as her friends would wish.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Patterson of Pownal visited at Abram Morgan's Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Patterson Jr., is entertaining her friend, Mrs. L. Williams from South Williamstown for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Morgan and son and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Patterson visited at B. H. Saunders in West Bennington Sunday.

The sudden death of Mrs. Fred Brown has cast a gloom of sadness over the entire community. Friends and neighbors extend to the bereaved family their sincere sympathy.

Bennington Opera House

THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY
June 25, 26 & 27

PARADA

Under the direction of
CAPT. CHAS. W. EDDY

For the benefit of

THE Y. M. C. A.

200 LOCAL PEOPLE 200

Special Scenery—Calcium Lights

Prices 25c, 50c and 75c and a few at \$1.00.

Sale of tickets for patronesses opens at Box Office Tuesday, June 23, at 10 o'clock. To the general public at 8 o'clock same evening.

CANTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Sears the Signature
Charles H. Ritchie

TEDDY WAIST

Really, name ought to be changed to "Taft Waist," but the name doesn't matter as long as "IT'S THE WAIST." For boys, ages 2 to 12 years. Holds the drawers, trousers and stockings. Nothing about it to wear out. It's washable, and much cooler than ordinary underwaists.

MOTHERS BETTER SEE IT

25 Cents

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